

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Brock Wayne Watson	§	Group Art Unit:	3672
Serial No.:	10/550,906	§	Examiner:	William P. Neuder
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For:	Apparatus for Radially Expanding and Plastically Deforming a Tubular Member	§	Atty. Dkt. No.:	2725-26006

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 16, 2008

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: March 12, 2009

Sir:

Applicant acknowledges receipt of the Office Action dated December 16, 2008, and in reply,
respectfully submits the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 19 of this paper.